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ADVERTISING RESULTS
If you want proof of whether the News produces results for those who advertise in it, ask them. We are perfectly willing to leave it to them. One possible reason for this is because the News circulates among the working people very largely, and they are the ones whose pay checks keep all the wheels of progress around here going around.

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Harbor Bond Election On Nov. 4th

OAKLAND BOMB MURDERER JAILED

Confesses to Blowing up Greenwood Home and Killing Woman—Daniels Reports on Pacific Coast—Whole Family Poisoned—Gompers Says League Will Stop Unrest.

WATSONVILLE, Sept. 22.—"I placed the nitro-glycerine bomb in the Greenwood home in Oakland on the night of Tuesday, March 18. I did it to create excitement, not to hurt anybody."

This was the confession made to the Watsonville police today by George Edwards, a cartoonist, who came to this city on a freight train and gave himself up to the police soon after.

Edwards described in detail the making and the placing of the bomb in the home of George D. Greenwood, 1899 Jackson street, Oakland, vice-president of the Savings Union Bank and Trust Company. The bomb exploded just as Mrs. Greenwood, a society leader of Oakland and San Francisco, came near. She was killed instantly and the Greenwood home was wrecked.

Edwards gave a complete history of his movements just before and after the explosion. He said he had lived at 112 Jackson street, Oakland, and had rooms in the Pantheon Theater building. After the explosion, he said, he worked for Al Mulvaney, Twelfth and Webster streets, Oakland. Later he moved with his family to Los Angeles. He said his family now lived at 116 South Hope street, Los Angeles.

Edwards carried a number of checks, signed and endorsed. He said he had made out the checks himself.

Edwards is 29 years old, intelligent looking and is not an addict to drugs. He has convinced the Watsonville police he is entirely rational.

Detective Fenton Thompson of the Oakland police force is on his way to Watsonville to take charge of Edwards.

SEATTLE AND S. F. TO DIVIDE FLEET

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—Secretary Daniels announced today that

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THE JINGER JAR

A "swan-like neck" may be rubbery, also.
Servants have preferences now, instead of references.
Why do lawyers refer to jurors as "intelligent gentlemen?"
Strikes and violence fill no market baskets.
Russia is rich in everything except brains.
People don't wait with "baited breath" so much lately.
With age women widen and men get bald.
Europeans are now firing printing ink at each other.
Frost will soon be on the pumpkin and politician.
If you want a willowy figure, reduce the rations.
Adam and Eve thought fire would not burn, also.
There is no such thing as a progressive standpatter.
Wall street bulls and bears are really skunks.
Lenine is so crooked he makes a shadow like a brace and bit.

STRIKE KNOCKS OUT ALL RIVER TRAFFIC

Here are conditions today resulting from the strike of Riggers and Stevedores' Union, Bay and River Steamer Employes' Union, and the Ship Clerks at S. F.:

River transportation at standstill, through lack of firemen, rollers and deckhands.
The river boats Capitol City, Fort Sutter, Isleton, Pride of the River, T. C. Walker, Leader, Reform, Modoc and Captain Webster tied up in San Francisco.
The rest of the river fleet tied up at Stockton and Sacramento.
At least fifty-eight large vessels with their cargoes waiting discharge, lying in their slips north and south of the ferry building, and many others in the stream.
Thousands of tons of freight, including much of perishable nature, lying in ships and on docks.
One hundred and twenty strike-breakers arrive from Los Angeles and are put to work unloading Pacific Mail Company's liners Colombia and Colusa. Another trainload expected.

EASTERN STAR
The Sixth Annual Ball of Acantha Chapter will be given at East Shore Park the evening of October 4th. Invitations are being issued.

A FUNNY DECISION
The postoffice department refuses to take any responsibility for mail after it has been placed in the box, according to a statement issued recently by Post Inspector McHenry in connection with complaints made by Martinez residents that their boxes had been robbed.

HARBOR BOND ELECTION NOV. 4

Immense Crowd at Council Meeting Insists Upon Election Being Called at Once—Much Warm Discussion Pro and Con—Council Votes 7 To 2 In Favor of Project.

The warmest session the City Council ever had in Richmond was that of last night, when the Council Chamber was filled to overflow with citizens from every walk in life, asking and demanding that the Council call the bond election for the harbor improvement project, and call it now.

The discussion was fast and furious for a long time, pro and con, and every phase of the subject was gone into one way and another, until the matter was thoroughly threshed out.

The outcome of the meeting was a vote by the Council as to whether an election should be called now or next May, with the result that the vote stood 7 for calling it now and 2 for postponement. Mayor Long and John Hartnett being the two dissenting votes.

Wildgrube Opens Fire
Attorney Wildgrube, as one of the Board of Harbor Commissioners, and representing that body, talked long and eloquently in favor of the harbor project and of calling the election now. He outlined the whole matter from start to finish and brought out all the points in favor of it clearly and convincingly. He told of hearing W. H. Sanford making a speech about Richmond years ago in Nevada, and how the people there bought lots here for the reason that it was to be a harbor city, as thousands of other non-residents had. These people by thousands, he said, as well as those who had their all invested here, now demanded that the work be done for a greater exchange of commerce forced harbor cities to action, and Richmond must reap the benefit of this world opportunity. He said, also, that the Government could safely be trusted with the expenditure of the money, with its own and that the increase in business, new industries and valuations of all property would be a hundred times more than the cost of the harbor project because of the ten-year bonds. Mr. Wildgrube read a telegram just received yesterday from Congressman Curry to George Wall, president of the Richmond Industrial Commission, stating that the Government would appropriate \$110,000 for the Richmond harbor work, providing a bond election was carried in Richmond to do its half, and otherwise not.

Davis Creates Riot
A. T. Davis took the opposite view and tangled with Attorney Wildgrube on several of the latter's statements, wherein they both sent some hot shot into each other and the crowd went wild and cheered, although it was evident that those present were on the harbor side of the controversy. Mr. Davis called for a rising vote to sustain him in his contention that labor was not in favor of the bonds. Five men stood up. Then Wildgrube called for a rising vote on his proposition and practically everybody in the building arose. (More cheers.)

Hartnett Against It
Councilman Hartnett said he was for the harbor, all right, but thought that next spring would be a better time to call the election than now, but did not say why, except that it would give time to educate the people on the project. Somebody in the amen corner shouted that perhaps the people knew more about it than the Council gave them credit for.

The Mayor got a telegram from Congressman Curry, similar to the one received by Mr. Wall, which even the smallest regulation on file.

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MICKIE SAYS

"THE BOSS SAYS IT USTA BE TH' FASHION 'T RUN 'READ TH' ADS' LINES IN TH' PAPER—BUT WE REMEMBER IF TH' ADS GOT ANY MORE INTERESTING, WE'LL HAF TA START ASKIN' FOLKS 'T READ TH' NEWS!"



HINDU SHOOTING CAUSES PANIC

MARTINEZ, Sept. 22.—Mehear Singh, Hindu, fugitive from justice on a charge of the murder of three of his countrymen, has returned to the scene of his alleged crimes, according to several Hindu laborers, who testify today that Mehear Singh is the man who last night hid behind a clump of willows on the island and shot at Ram Singh. Jersey Island, the scene of a triple murder several days ago, and the scene of last night's shooting, is surrounded by a posse which is closing in towards the center in hopes of capturing the Hindu gunman who for five days has eluded his searchers.

Terror stricken by the return of the "evil one," Hindus are leaving the island in large numbers. It has reached the state of an exodus. The majority of the Hindu laborers are heading for Stockton. Prior to leaving they posted a purse of \$500 as a reward for the capture, dead or alive, of the gunman.

Bad blood exists between Mehear Singh and Ham Singh. The latter attempted to thwart the plans of Mehear in carrying out his alleged carnival of carnage when, heavily armed, he set out to kill two of his countrymen, at the time at work in another part of the island, according to the authorities. Singh ran ahead to warn his countrymen of the impending danger. Mehear killed them, despite the warning, according to many witnesses to the double homicide. This crime made the third death charged against Mehear. Then he fled.

He was trailed to San Pablo, where he eluded the posse. In the succeeding days he was reported at various cities.

MANY SMASHUPS

Two are dead and 12 injured, several seriously, as the result of Sunday automobile accidents about the Eastbay region, and one Oakland woman is dead and her daughter injured in an automobile accident during a trip yesterday near Sacramento.

FLIES OVER LASSEN

Herbert Blake is now in the forest aviation patrol and flew over Mt. Lassen at an elevation of 16,000 feet last week. He looked in the crater and it seemed to be smoking again. He says he nearly froze up there.

About \$100 worth of food, chiefly canned corn, has been received at the postoffice to fill the orders on the surplus government supplies. Not enough variety has come to fill even the smallest regulation on file.

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HOT SESSION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

12,000 Cans of U. S. Tomatoes Have Been Shipped Here—Dr. Blake Reports on the Plague in Oakland—Playgrounds and School Discussed, Also County Highway.

In another column of this issue may be found the largest part of the proceedings that took place at the "hot session" before a crowded City Council chambers last night. It was a fine meeting which only went to show what the citizens of this city can do when they want to get together and put some spirit into the general uplift and welfare of the City of Richmond. Richmond has all the necessary facilities and wants to improve and go ahead, and the citizens are far sighted enough to get out and put Richmond where she belongs on this coast.

Long Payments on Bonds
The proposed harbor bonds are to be of the ten-year deferred payment class of bonds which will enable them to have a greater market sale.

Government Food on Way
A communication from the California Zone Supply Offices was received last night at the Council stating that the Government had already shipped to this city 12,000 cans of tomatoes at a cost of nine cents per can. The sale of this Government shipment will be had as soon as it is received here.

Blake Reports on Plague
City and County Health Officer Blake made a formal report before the City Council last night upon the pneumonic plague that recently threatened to break out in considerable numbers in Oakland and Berkeley. He stated that there is practically no fear felt by the State Board of Health that the plague will break out again in the near future as there have been no cases reported in the last week. All is being done by the health authorities about the bay cities to be rid of the germ carrying pests: the rats and squirrels that caused the first spreading and death to nearly a score of East Bay citizens. Success has so far crowned the efforts towards abating the plague and the efforts of the health authorities will continue for many months to come.

Dr. Blake stated that the City of Richmond is practically free from rats and to a great extent the germ carrying flies, which after a campaign of seven years is rapidly great results towards a healthier city.

Playgrounds at Fifth and Ohio
The South Richmond Improvement Club sent a communication to the Council asking if the body would grant and clear the lots belonging to the city at Fifth and Ohio streets for the purpose of instituting the first public playground in the City of Richmond. As soon as all the equipment has been secured and placed upon the city property, the South Richmond Improvement Club will deed over all claim to the playground equipment placed upon the property. The city engineer was ordered to draw up plans and costs for the work that is desired done on the property.

Ask Richmond's Support
A delegation headed by C. Spencer of Walnut Creek appeared before the Council last night and asked if the City of Richmond would aid the smaller up-county townships in paying off their high way bond tax by asking the Board of Supervisors to help pay for the new concrete highway that passes through many of the up-county communities. The smaller towns cannot pay and they wish that the Board of Supervisors go about \$50 on the paying off of the bonding debt, the board receiving control of the highways. The matter was laid over until next Monday night when the matter will be further discussed.

Free For New Building

WHIST AND LUNCH
Mrs. G. B. Fredenberg entertained the members of the Home Club at her home, 204 Cottage avenue, Friday afternoon, with a luncheon, followed by auction bridge.

The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. J. F. Brooks at Mira Vista.

Mrs. C. W. Warbuton and baby son Gordon is spending two weeks with Mrs. Warbuton's mother, Mrs. D. A. Peake of Modesto.

CHATS WITH MERCHANTS

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MISS LILLIAN BLEWER DROWNED IN BAY

Richmond telephone operators are mourning the loss of the president of their union, Miss Lillian Blewer, who was drowned in the deep water off Neptune Beach, in a probable attempt to rescue her fiancé, Joseph Reichling.

No details can be learned of the accident, as no one was a witness to it, and the first indication of it came when Miss Blewer's body was found Saturday night floating in the bay. The position told the tale of a crash that probably seized him, rendering him helpless.

Home For Y. M. C. A. Being Planned

The Tivoli Cafe was the scene of a luncheon yesterday when the finance committee of the Y. M. C. A. met the new secretary, Walter Mead, and discussed plans with him for beginning the work at once of creating a building fund. A considerable amount was pledged at the meeting for the fund.

Those present were: D. J. Hall, W. T. Helms, E. H. Harlow, W. H. Lencofe, J. F. E. Beck and Fred Heckman.

RUGBY GAME
The Richmond Union High played a game of football Saturday with Fremont High of Oakland, who has the champion team of the East Bay counties. The score was 6 to 0 in favor of Richmond and college yellows are to be heard still in the vicinity of the school house.

On and after the first of October, the World's Series baseball scores will be given in three Richmond places, one of them being the Bowling Alley at the Point. Dad Brock will display one at 23rd and Macdonald.

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ALL KINDS OF "NUTS" IN THIS WORLD

That there are more varieties of "nuts" scattered around the country promiscuously than in a fruit store or squirrel nest is well known, but just why so many of them want "pick on us," is more than we can figure out. Our mail is burdened with the craziest lot of junk that ever mortal was bored with. Yesterday we got a two-pound package of pamphlets on Theosophy, with request that we print it as an education for our readers. We used to delve down in all such brain-tangling folderoll many years ago, when young and foolish, and if hereditary common sense had not stepped in and caused us to make a bonfire of the stuff we would have got as woozy as was Dowie, who had a lot of revelations from the Lord at Chicago—the joke being that the Lord would ever go to Chicago.

Webster says Theosophy is knowledge of the deity obtained by spiritual ecstasy, direct intuition or divine illumination. The trouble is that those who get it that way, or imagine they do, get a whole lot more ecstasy than knowledge, carry it to the extreme and run it into the ground and break it off. Religion, creeds, philosophy on the creation, immortality, and all that sort of thing should be mixed with common sense, for that's what it is when you find it right, and taken in excess doses will cause just as many hallucinations as an excess of most anything else—booze, for instance.

Too much deep study about the unknowable is almost certain to produce bats in the belfry, more or less, and those who get it real bad are the most pestiferous nuisances outside of asylums.

Another person who gets out pamphlets and leaflets about "Newthot," sends us in several batches of it from Kankakee, Illinois, with information that upon application a whole lot more will be mailed free, which will teach us all about "Newthot" and Telepathy. The pamphlet is a replica of the sender's scrambled egg and grapefruit brains, full of misspelled drivel. The writer says he has a direct telepathic communication with anybody he wants to all over the world. It is very simple—almost as simple as those who go daffy about it. All you have to do is to sit down, concentrate your thoughts and go into deep meditation. Your thoughts then condense, as it were, like evaporated milk in a tin can, and then the deep meditation on the person and subject you wish to communicate with goes off on thought waves and hits the person desired right square amidships—all same wireless. This person in Kankakee, (the town's name sounds batty also), says he was getting some leaflets printed by a "Newthot" printer at Los Angeles, (which town is the mecca for every imaginable unconfined crank in the country,) and that he wanted certain paragraphs of the copy omitted from the finished job, so he just sat down and condensed his thoughts, mediated deeply on the "nut" in Los Angeles and the leaflet to be printed, and that was all there was to it. In due time the leaflets arrived, and the parts desired to be left out were not in at all.

Another instance is where he communicated with a sailor on a battleship at San Diego, which worked out fine, only a person over in South Africa caught up the thought waves and got wise to the whole business. This, we should think, would necessitate doing one's thought waves in code cypher, for if a fellow was carrying on a thought-wave flirtation with some

other man's wife, for instance, when the other man was a long way from home, and he would pick up the vibrations and a double-barreled shotgun and start on the return trip it might turn out sad. Another thing that puzzles us is how these geeks carry on all this thought-wave stuff with nothing to think with.

Honestly, the leaflets this Kankakee individual sent in are the silliest lot of gibberish one could well imagine, and proof positive of a twisted mentality. That such rot is printed and circulated would indicate that they are bought and paid for by people everywhere, which brings us back to the start and caption of this article, namely, that there are all kinds of nuts in this country.

We feel sorry for such people. Doubtless they are entitled to Christian compassion, but we wish they would quit picking us out as a long-lost brother, for we can prove an alibi. Cross our heart, we haven't had any of those Theosophy, Telepathy and Newthot bugs crawling around in our garret since the prohibition law got into action.

THINKOGRAPHS

We used to keep our windows closed
And wept in sheer despair
When some one pulled one down an inch,
Admitting some fresh air.

When a fellow's wife is away on a visit he
Sheds buttons like a chicken moults feathers.

A Georgia Senator, objecting to woman suffrage, says Jesus did not have any women among His disciples. He didn't have any Senators, either.

Soon after you quit working in the Lord's
vineyard you'll take a job with the devil.

Poets must surely be born instead of made,
because nobody would be foolish enough to
make one.

If you like your fellow man he will like you,
and if you do not like him he will not like you.
It is up to you.

The woman who wears the advertising kind
of clothes is going to get credit for having
something for sale, whether she has or not.

George Washington and Carrie Nation achieved
fame with a hatchet, but nobody ever did with
a hammer.

The prisoners in the penitentiaries get turkey
for Thanksgiving, while many out of jail get
liver and onions.

Being pleasant and fair will help you. Being
unpleasant and unfair will hurt you. This is a
fundamental fact.

DuBarry was the mistress of Luis XV. She
was guillotined and he died miserably of small-
pox. Chickens always come home to roost.

There is all the difference in the world be-
tween the north and south poles.

If a man can't smile, he's built wrong. If he
can smile and won't, keep away from him.

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FOR SALE—Three lots in Grand View Terrace at a bargain—improvements all in. Address Box 30, The News office. 58tf

FOR SALE, lease or exchange—a 50-acre ranch, 20 acres orchard, 30 acres farm land. Good potato or bean land. House, barn and garage. Plenty good artesian water, 5 miles from county seat on highway. Monterey county. If interested call at 153 3d street, or phone 538-W. 51tf

FOR SALE—Lots in all parts of Richmond. Good locations. Prices reasonable. Terms \$25 down and \$5 a month. Tel. 921. Call at 855 Wall street. 1198-4

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\$7500—Three-lot corner on 7th and Bissell, with two flats—five and six rooms each, very modern, with double garage. Must be sold in few days. Actual value \$10,000.

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FOR RENT—3-room apartment, furnished, garage if wanted. The Richmond Company, 2234 Macdonald avenue. Phone Richmond 444.

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FOR SALE (Miscellaneous)

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Big bunch hotel cooking utensils and coffee urn, about 50 beds, mattresses and springs, 3-foot size for \$2.50 each; pillows, 60c up; comforters, \$1.50 up; blankets, part wool, \$2.00 up. These are snaps—buy quick. C. L. Streeter, home furnisher, 302 Macdonald avenue. 66tf

WANTED—To buy a good dresser or dressing table. Phone 732-W. 66-3

FOR SALE—New cement block house, very nifty, good location. Must be seen to be appreciated. Terms to suit buyer. Apply The Richmond Co., 2234 Macdonald Ave. Phone 444. 66-6

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good wagon and harness—153 3d street, Richmond. 51tf

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Two rooms suitable for housekeeping—light and water. \$10 per month; phone 294. 59-2

FOR SALE—Good milk goat at very reasonable figure. Call after five o'clock at 646 First street. 69-2

FOR SALE—17 pigeons—8 of which are mated. Mrs. A. J. Koster, 715 17 St. 67-4

FOR SALE—A four-burner Perfection oil stove, almost new—price reasonable. Phone Richmond 960-W. Address 456 11th Street. 67-3

FOR SALE—Table rabbits, 517 Gertrude ave., Wall Second Addition. 67-3

ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, J. O. F. F. meets every Monday night in Bank Hall, Eighth Street and Macdonald Avenue. J. B. Hunt, N. G.; J. W. Shell, Recording Secretary, 136 Second Street.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Log Cabin Camp No. 637 meets every Monday in W. O. F. Hall, 707 Macdonald Avenue. Consul Commander, H. B. Hollenbaugh, residence 239 4th street; Clerk, H. L. Springer, residence 101 Ohio St.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

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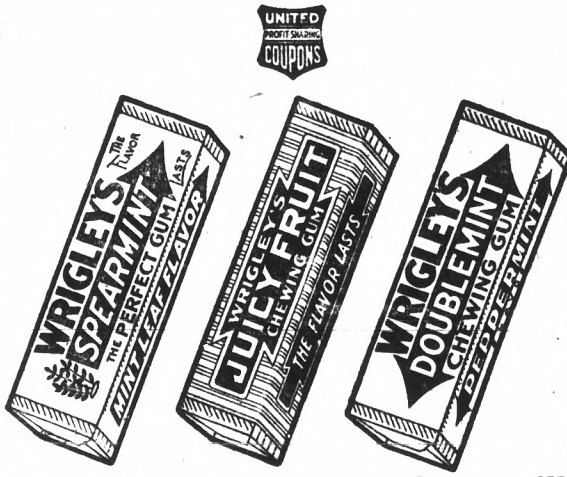
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FATHER McLAUGHLIN TO VISIT MOTHER

Rev. Father McLaughlin left last night for a three months' visit to his mother in Ireland. As a token of their affection for him, his parishioners collected a handsome purse to help him on his way, and presented it to him at an informal farewell party Sunday night. Arrangements for the party were made by Messrs. Riordan, Corr, McDonald and Coffey.

TO TRY OUT LAW

In order to test the constitutionality of the 6 o'clock closing law, City Attorney A. F. Brady of Martinez has suggested that a merchant of that city who had violated the law be arrested and be tried in the courts. In his opinion the law is unconstitutional.

LADIES' AID

The Ladies' Aid Societies of all the Baptist churches of the East Bay counties will hold meetings in Oakland Thursday and Friday of this week. A representative body from Richmond and San Pablo will attend.

NOTICE

On and after October 1st, 1919, no hodcarrier will be allowed to work on Saturday afternoon, unless he receives double time. By order of Bay District Council of Hodcarriers. 67-6

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Richmond Club Domestic Science

At the meeting of the Domestic Science section of the Richmond club yesterday afternoon, a number of interesting papers were read on the "Kitchen Beautiful," among them an original poem by Mrs. Guy Milnes, a sentimental handling by Mrs. O. R. Ludwig and a description by Mrs. Brown. Tea was served after the papers were finished, and Mrs. L. K. Farren ended the meeting with a piano solo, "Fifth Nocturne," by Chopin.

BABY GIRL DIES

Little Gertrude Irene Mealman, six-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mealman, died at the home of her parents, 425 First street, Sunday evening. Rev. H. Blake Hadlow will conduct the funeral services according to the ritual of the Episcopal church, this afternoon, interment being at Sunset View cemetery. Wilson & Donnelly are making the arrangements.

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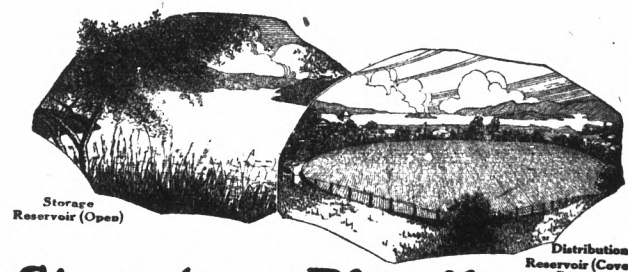
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Local Laconics of Richmondites

J. W. Quinly and wife, who have been visiting Mr. Quinly's brother, W. A. Quinly, of Eighth street, returned to their home near Modesto, yesterday.

Dad Brock, at the 23d and Macdonald cigar and ice cream emporium, or "loist," as we call it when we want to start something with Dad, has arranged to keep a blackboard with the scores of the national league baseball scores, commencing with the first of the month.

Judge Hannum was practicing law at Martinez yesterday.

Walker, of the firm of Lester & Walker, is on a business trip to Santa Cruz.

The little city of Albany, down by the county line, is way short in its accounts, and a grand jury is investigating to see which official swiped the boodle. George Ryan prints a little paper down there, and we saw him carrying a Richmond T-bone steak hid out under his coat while en route there a few evenings since. When an editor buys such a luxury it sure looks suspicious.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sherry have been visiting at Live Oak.

Henry Engelking, son-in-law of "yo scribe," has been on the sick list for a few days, but got back to work in the machinist department of the S. O. again yesterday. He went down and spent the evening with Willard Poage recently, whose better half is away, and the supposition is that the two went out and got a square meal. (We say this just to hear the two daughters snort.)

Mrs. Norman Silva of 250 Fourth street, is ill at the Cottage hospital.

The fire department was called out yesterday afternoon at 3:50 to put out a grass fire near Pullman.

Captain H. J. Smith of the local fire department is having a vacation. He left without telling where he was going, and will not be home for two weeks.

A demonstration of auto headlights will be held at the east end of the Oakland auditorium tonight at 8 p. m. under the auspices of the State Motor Vehicle Department. The purpose of the demonstration, which is free to the public, is to show the kind of lights required by the new law.

Mrs. Mary Hammock, of San Francisco is visiting Mrs. L. K. Farron at her home, 217 Bissell avenue.

W. B. A. Macabees are requested to attend the funeral of Carl Johansen to be held today at two o'clock from the Curry undertaking parlors, interment to be in Sunset View cemetery.

On and after October first, express rates from Richmond to San Francisco on fruit, milk and eggs will be 38 cents a pound, a considerable increase over the present rate.

George T. Griffin and wife of 2015 Nevin avenue are rejoicing over the birth of a baby boy. Mrs. Griffin was Miss Bodel Iversen.

Harold Kueffer has returned from his vacation at Bass Lake.

After receiving his discharge from the 825th Aero squadron, Ed. Carlson returned to his home last week.

H. G. Stidham went to Berkeley last night to attend a dinner given by Berkeley Commandery Knights Templars.

Judge Odell was an Oakland visitor yesterday.

Miss Flora Dreyer, who with her mother, Mrs. F. A. Dreyer, is spending the winter on a visit to California from Alabama, went to Bakersfield yesterday, for a few days with friends there.

The High School voted yesterday to give an invitational dance on October 10. The names of the committee has not been made public.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keithley have moved from Twentieth street to the house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Powell, at 433 Thirteenth street.

Mrs. H. P. Lauritzen and daughter, Mrs. Ben Bush, with Mrs. A. G. Powell, went to Oakland on a shopping trip Monday.

A Saturday Hiking Club was organized yesterday at the High School by Miss Clara McLauria and Miss Zora Jarvis. It is to be for girls only, and the first hike will be next Saturday.

In an effort to fill vacancies in the carrier force of the postoffice, an examination has been announced by the department for October 11, for men only. The frequency of these examinations is said to be an indication that no candidates present themselves for work, the carrier too small a remuneration to meet the cost of living.

Two hard players participated in the St. Mark's whist party held at the Richmond club-

house Saturday evening.

Past Noble Grands will be entertained this evening by Mrs. Mabel Chapman at her home in Richmond Annex. Initiation of candidates will be followed by cards and refreshments. All Past Noble Grands and Past Grands are welcome.

S. M. Keaton has filed suit, through Attorney Clare Horner, against Anna C. Keaton, charging desertion. Keaton is a meat cutter at a local market and lives at 574 Ninth street.

Dr. E. H. Herbert, local dentist, spent Sunday in San Francisco visiting relatives.

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as a result of his trip to the Pacific Coast in connection with the arrival of the Pacific fleet, he soon would ask Congress to authorize the establishment of additional drydock, navy yard and shipbuilding facilities there.

San Francisco and Puget Sound will be the two chief bases of the Pacific fleet, Daniels said, with the dreadnaughts and cruisers divided about equally between the two ports.

The smaller vessels—destroyers, submarines, supply ships and auxiliary craft—will be based on the smaller ports of the Pacific Coast.

ITALIAN POISONS WHOLE FAMILY

David Tantilli, his wife and 12-year-old daughter, residing at 588 Chestnut street, San Francisco, are seriously ill today from the effects of mercury placed in soup and wine, and the police department is combing the city in search of Filippino Palonidaro to arrest him on a charge of violating a state law regarding the poisoning of food.

Palonidaro has been boarding at the Tantilli home, but was recently told that he would have to leave, as Tantilli, his wife and daughter, all employed in a cannery, did not care to have him as a boarder any longer. This greatly angered Palonidaro, who refused to leave.

Sunday Tantilli and family went to church, and on their return consumed some soup and wine which Mrs. Tantilli had prepared the day before. Soon afterward all three were taken violently ill. Examination of the food developed the fact that mercury had been placed in both wine and soup.

Detective William Proll, detailed to make an investigation, found a four ounce bottle of mercury among the effects of Palonidaro. The bottle was almost empty. Palonidaro had disappeared and no trace of him could be found.

OAKLAND GETS NEXT METHODIST CONFERENCE

SANTA CRUZ, Sept. 22.—Oakland was named as the next annual meeting place by the 67th session of the California conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church here today. Asilomar and Santa Cruz also extended invitations to the conference. Appointments and changes of ministers were to be made tonight.

PRESIDENT CHEERED AT SACRAMENTO

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 22.—President Wilson arrived in Sacramento at 12:55 p. m. today, and was enthusiastically greeted at the station by a crowd of about 12,000 persons. Women of the Red Cross gave him a basket of fruit.

MILWAUKEE MAYOR SOCIALISTIC FOOL

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 22.—"I stand for the man who works. To — with the kings," said Mayor Daniel Hoan, Socialist, today in replying to the request of A. T. Vansola of the Chamber of Commerce that King Albert and Queen Elizabeth of Belgium be formally invited to visit Milwaukee during their coming tour of the United States.

"While I have much respect for the Belgians," said the mayor in a signed statement, "it would be to my everlasting shame if I should contribute one iota to the cause of kings."

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Harbor Bond Election

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the clerk read. It stated in effect that Richmond would have to provide its half of the funds or not get the Federal aid.

Others Speak
R. E. Hornbeck spoke in favor of the project, and stated the people were getting tired of the Council's "wasteful" policy.

W. B. Casey also made a good talk for the harbor, and urged immediate action, saying that there was no doubt but what the people favored it.

C. W. Eray, traveling land agent, said hundreds of non-resident Richmond property owners had told him that they wanted the harbor built at once, at any cost, as otherwise their investments would be worthless.

Councilman Gerlach said he was for the project and in favor of calling the election now, if there was a fair chance of carrying, but did not want to see it called and then fall down.

George Wall Scores
George Wall, of the Industrial Commission, created a big laugh and rather got the joke on the Council by saying that if the members of the Council would get out and work as hard for the carrying of the harbor bonds as they did for their own election, the bonds would carry ten to one. This caused a big laugh at the Council's expense, in which the members good naturedly joined.

Labor Men Speak
Jack Thornton, delegate of the Building Trades Council, said the Council had at its last meeting heartily endorsed the harbor project and the vote of the Chamber of Commerce, of the opinion that organized labor would support the proposition very largely.

Fred Heckman, business agent for organized labor, and one of the new directors of the Chamber of Commerce, stated unequivocally that he was in favor of the bond election right now, and believed organized labor in Richmond was, also. He said that if bonds for carrying were necessary later on he would favor that, too, as Richmond wanted both good schools and a good harbor.

Many Others Talk
Councilman Lane went on record as being for the bonds and the calling of the election now. He took a straightout position.

A. C. Burdick told of the harbor work and great progress because of it in Seattle, and advised following suit. Messrs. Ludwig, Johnson and Wernse all spoke in favor of the harbor, as did Mrs. Osborne.

President Clark of the Chamber of Commerce also went over the ground, told of the vote of the new directors and urged immediate action on the part of the Council. Mayor Long made a long talk on the school situation, as a member of the Board of Education, stating that a bond election must be held before long for school funds, and said that he was for the school bonds first and the harbor bonds second. He advised delay of the latter until May.

Standing Vote Taken
After much more discussion, Councilman Gerlach called for a rising vote of the people in the hall and the whole crowd responded in favor of the bonds and the harbor. Only half a dozen out of the crowd being against it. This convinced Gerlach as to how the public sentiment was, and he therefore made a motion that the Council call the bond election for November 4 for the harbor project, in the sum of \$400,000. This motion being put to a vote of the Council resulted in carrying by 7 to 2. Long and Hartnett being the negative votes, all others voting aye.

It was a very interesting session, with something doing every minute. The News feels certain that the Council acted wisely in the matter, and frankly states that it did not expect them to do it. This action will please a vast majority of the people, and that in turn should please the Council. As to the school bonds, we do not think this issue should be clouded at this time by anything, but after this has been settled, if Richmond needs more funds for its schools, there is no reasonable doubt but what our people will respond, as they always do for every project having real merit.

W. H. Conn has been confined to his bed for two days with the flu.

Boys and girls at the high school are staying up into the small hours preparing news for the first issue of the X-Ray, their school paper that is to make its bow to the public on Tuesday, September 23rd.

Trinity Club met last night at the home of Miss Grieda Moyle for their bi-monthly social evening. All of the ten members were present and had a jolly home night of singing, dancing, games and refreshments.

LADIES' AID DINNER
An all-day meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the San Pablo Baptist Church will be held Wednesday. The ladies are requested to come and help tack quilts. A supper will be served at 6 o'clock, for which \$5c will be charged. All proceeds will go for the benefit of the church. These dinners are home-cooked, large in quantity and unexcelled in quality.

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INDUSTRY AWAITS PEACE, SAYS GOMPERS

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 22.—Normal industrial conditions can come only when definite peace terms have been agreed to by the leading nations of the world, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, declared today to the annual session of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, meeting here. Gompers' address was read to the convention, as he could not be present.

Urging prompt ratification of the treaty as an absolute necessity, Gompers said:

"That treaty is not perfect, but it is our only constructive suggestion for dealing with some of the things which cause wars."

Miss Mildred Best, daughter of Jack Best of the Home Laundry, entered the public library yesterday to take an apprentice course in the place of Miss Ruth Adair, who resigned Saturday.

City Council

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The question whether the Standard Oil should be made to pay a building inspection fee for the new modern laboratory that is being erected outside of the company's fence was placed into the hands of the Council as a whole, until the next meeting.

Meeting Wednesday Night
The City Council will hold a meeting tomorrow night at 7:30 at the Council chambers to finish up uncompleted city business which was laid over from last night's session.

A. L. Davies Council
The American Legion, through a communication received by the Council last night invited the Mayor and the members of the City Council to attend a mass meeting to be held at Pythian Castle Thursday at 8 p. m. for the purpose of forwarding the movement for a memorial building in this city. The invitation was accepted and placed on file.

Ask Segregation of Taxes

Tax Collector Ford asked the City Council through a communication if he, through an ordinance of the City Council, could segregate the property tax from the street improvement tax. It seems that now, several of the property owners are withholding both payments as one cannot be paid without the other in the system now in effect. There are several street improvements taxed which were contracted under a law which is now being contested in the courts of the State, and until the question of the validity of the law is established the landowners refuse to pay the street tax. The communication was placed on file and the matter laid over until a future time.

Bids on Improvements
The awarding of the contract for the improving of 47th street between Portrero and Cutting as called for in resolution 355 was held over through lack of time at last night's meeting. Two bids were accepted, that of J. E. Stanger and G. W. Cushing.

R. H. and R. J. Rhinehart of northern California and owners of the former skating rink at Seventh street have asked, through their

attorney Robert C. Bolles of Jackson, Cal. for a thirty days extension of time to either tear down or lease and repair their building. The request was granted.

Howard Yeater, assistant fire chief, represented the fire department at the City Council meeting last night and will continue to do so during the leave of absence of Chief Lamoin, who is attending the annual fire chiefs convention in Oregon.

The new tax ordinance was passed last night and its provisions will go into effect in the required length of time.

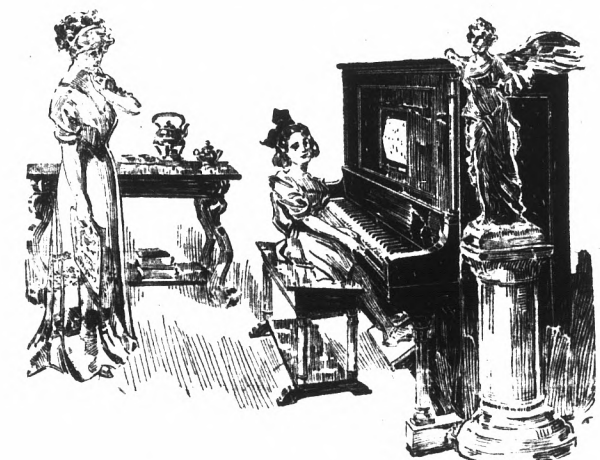
Thirty days from last Monday the new City Planning Ordinance will be in effect.

INQUEST WEDNESDAY

As Mrs. Marianna Roberts is sufficiently recovered to be present, the inquest on the death of J. J. Roberts, her son, is set by Coroner Donnelly for Wednesday night. Roberts was injured so that he died later in an automobile collision with Homer J. Brown of Oakland, on the San Pablo road, on Fleet Day. Brown is out under a \$10,000 bond, after being charged with murder.

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